

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claim 3 has been amended to reflect that which the Applicants have always regarded as their invention. The amendment is of formal nature, and does not add new matter. Its entry is respectfully requested. The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at (650) 324-7115.

Although no fees are believed to be due at this time, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees, including any fees for extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-1641 (Attorney's Docket No. 39766-0100 P1).

Respectfully submitted,

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